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## TWO CITIES HOPELESSLY DIVIDED ON BRIDGE COST APPORTIONMENT

Councils of Edmonton and Strath- \* cona Held Conference in Strathcona Which Lasted All Yest rday Afternoon.

STRATHCONA COUNCIL STIFFENED

Strathcona Offers \$40,000.00 Grant But on Condition That Single Fares be Granted Through Both Municipalities.

Edmonton Mayor and Aldermen Decline to Consider This Proposal. Stating That it Will Mean a Crippling of the Entire System-Neither City is Willing to Give in, and the Conference Breaks Up | \* Without Results.

The city councils of Edmonton and lock over the question of Strathcona's A HALF A MILLION contribution to the high level bridge Both bodies have given their ulti matums and they are so widely apar that there is little hope of an agreement unless either makes a big concession, which is very improbable. The result will be that if the traffic section of the bridge is to be built Edmonton will have to increase her minimum contribution of \$255,000 to \$285,-

The deadlock between the two count expenditure on capital account cils is the result of a conference be- such undertakings as the T. & N tween the two bodies lasting the en- O, railway, the Niagara Power pro ire afterneon in Stratheona vesterday.

The total receipts were estimated to the counter offers but the breach will not be far short of \$7,400,000.

of an agreempt had been abandoned. The crown lands departmen were requested to offer a grant of \$40,-000 in return for five cent fares to all parts of both cities. The only con- tary revenue will yield \$719,000. cession to be given being the right of was estimated at \$690,000. connection for the street car line be tween the new bridge terminus and the present line on Whyte avenue.

This proposal the Edmonton mayor and aldermen would not for a moment consider and as Strathcona would accept no other all negotiations Those Who Were Present.

There were present from Edmonton Mayor Lee, Ald. Manson, Armstrong, McInnis, Fraser, Gariepy, Supt. Tay lor and Solicitor Bown. From Strathcona, Mayor Duggan, Ald. Richards, Donnan, Secretary-Treasurer Clark, City Engineer Mc-Lean and City Solicitor Jamieson. In opening the conference Mayor Lee submitted the first offer decided upon by Edmonton. The first was a then I say let us sob, but that is not \$50,000 one in return for a five cent fare between the C. P. R. and the C. R, stations. Concessions asked on these conditions were a connection form the new bridge along Fifth street west to Whyte avenue, a modification of the service now being operated up and down the hill, and the right to build spurs where business

Mayor Duggan remarked that there was barely a quorum of the Strash-cona council present. He was very sorry there were not more members in

Strathcona aldermen asked what was meant by the modification on the bridge service. Mayor Lee replied that at the preent time the cars did not stop from

the top of the hill to the bottom, con- have consummated an important deal reports of improved weather in the sequently there was no traffic over-looked. The bridge crossing was a doubtful one. Permission to use it had only been granted for two years and one had already expired. Already

Woldn't Change Franchise Terms. Mayor Duggan said that he thought it was out of the question to discuss the estimated available quantity be the changing of the terms of the fran-

Mayor Lee replied that the question railway spurs to business houses of Strathcona was an esesntial one to the street railway. For example, day swept over Southern Italy and some firm wanted a spur down the Sicily, doing great damage. Many lane to its store and the railway vessels were sunk and great loss of should be in a position to build it.

Stretches a dozeno contented that Strathcona aldermen contended that the power of granting these spurs should rest with the Strathcona coun-

Violent Storm in Italy.

Irish Land Bill Passed. (Cortinual on Page Seven.) by the peers.

\* SIR CHARLES TUPPER CALLS UPON BORDEN

TO SUPPORT GOVERNMENT'S NAVAL POLICY.

London, Nov. 26-The London Times publishes a letter, dated Nov. 29, from Sir Charles Tupper to R. L. Borden, leader of the Opposition in the Canadian parliament; on the question of the Canadian navy. He says all that is required in the government of the day is that it should carry out the resolution passed in the House of Commons, at Ottawa, last session, pledging parliament to proceed vigorously with the construction of a Canadian navy. Sir Chas. Tupper cannot understand the demand for Dreadnoughts, and cannot avoid thinking that a fearful responsibility will rest who disturb or destroy the compact entered into at the Imperial Decence conference on this vitally important question.

The Times editorially says Sir Charles Tupper's letter should contribute to the strengthening of the concord between Laurier and Borden on the naval question. The Times says Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech of Nov. 15 contains the true ideal of imperial unity. "It is not really derogatory to this lofty ideal to say, as Laurier also said on the same occasion: "Canada would have a navy that

would not go to war unless the parliament of Canada chose to send it.' In the abstract such a proposition is indisputable. In the abstract it applies to any and every form of co-operation and contribution for purposes of Imperial delence, but in the concrete it certain the same considerations and motives, which have served to bring about the present situation, will also serve to maintain

# SURPLUS IN ONTARIO

Every Department.

Toronto, Nov. 26.-Nearly half 000 each of these amounts having million surplus is what the provincia been conditional on the Dominion and treasurer, Hon. Col. Matheson, esti Provincial governments contributing mates he would have been able to a total of \$300,000. To this will be show for 1909, but for the unfortunadded the costs of approaches, of laying the street car ties and rails on a section of the bridge and an over-sists of only ten months. As it is head bridge over the C. P. R. on the the receipts will come within \$100,000 Strathcone side of the river besides of the expenditure, which in this astimate does not. of course, include

the conference broke up. Edmonton nish \$2,000,000 instead of \$1,500,000. presented the two offers agreed to at The T. & N. O. receipts estimated a meeting of Wednesday night \$300,000 will yield \$550.000. A large which Strathcona on the other hand increase is shown in the succession was considerably stiffened in its atti-daties which will net the province tude by a resolution passed at a large \$675,000 in place of the \$400,000 c led meeting of the Strathcona timated. The revenues from the proboard of trade held earlier in the vincial secretary's department jum day. By it the Strathcona council ed from \$127,000 to \$199,000 and agriculture and stationary engineer \$85,000 to \$113,000. The supplement

> MRS. PANKHURST IS ANGRY. With New York Divine Who Scored

Suffragette Movement. Chicago, Nov. 26-"Dr. Parkhurst proposition have been made. es not know what he is talking about," was Mrs. Emma Gould Pankhurst's quick rejoinder, when queried onight regarding the New York divine's Thanksgiving day sermon when animal at city several sharp jabs. "Yes, I have read what he had to

"Very good, if sobs will win votes.

the thing which will win. Concentrated political activity is the thing which will win 'votes for women,' and that is in the line upon which we are

lieve, find very good ground upon of Tuam, County Galway.

Dominion Coal Co.'s Big Deal. a notification of the cancellation of Post Morien, wherewith the arrangement is to pay to the Dominion Coal a much healthier condition and very ment is to pay to the Dominion Coal ment is to pay to the Dominion Coal sensitive to anything of a bullish nacompany a royalty of ten cents a ton upon all coal mined from these areas ture. Liverpool closed unchanged to upon all coal mined from these areas %d lower, Chicago % to 1c lower. on a basis of fifty annual amounts, Minneapolis % and % lower, Winni- w October was 17,301. as com-

passed the House of Lords today fol- Barley-No. 3, 471/2; No. 4, 451/2; re Ald. Richards did not think that lewing the compromise by the House jected, 431/2. No. 1, 1591/4; No. 1

#### NAVIGATION CLOSED ON THE ST. LAWRENCE

Provincial Treasurer Matheson Says
it Would Have Been this Amount
Had the Fiscal Year Not Been
Only Ten Months—Increases in Buoys to be Taken up This week.

> Montreal Nov. 26-With the sail if the Canadian Pacific steamer Monreal for London today ocean navigaon on the St. Lawrence officially was clared closed. Accompanying the

eight and passenger business

Tomorrow a start will be made ake up the buoys between Montreal and Quebec. The expensive gas buovs hich make night navigation possible ist week and replaced by spars.

for Killing Canines for Meat.

Paris Nov 26-Several applications or authority to establish -laughter serting that he is unable to operate be sold as food for human consumption, are under consideration and many strong protests against the Dr. De Courmelles, president of the French anti-vivisection society, says

the does not regard the eating of dog tion," said the manager of the Standard to the Bulletin this morning animal is in a healthy state when "Our mine is still out of business and gave the suffragette movement in killed. He pointed out, however, that we do not know when we will resume the animal is very subject to excite-operations." ent which may easily produce toxic say," said Mrs. Pankhurst. "I see effects, as in fact, is the case with that he characterized the meeting as one long concentrated sob for 'votes discourage the fathening of dogs for yet been threatened. Yesterday afterslaughter by the contention that the noon Commissioner McNaughton nepractice would not be profitable.

#### Seek Americans Support.

Chicago, Ills., Nov. 26-The Irish Americans of Chicago will have an "Dr. Parkhurst also made some re- the support and advancement of the Thursday. The mine, which is least marks regarding poligamy and sup-technical and industrial schools of ed by Robert Wills, is operated under posedly having reference to one or two women concerned in the meeting. announced yesterday that Brother Company two miles down on the women concerned in the meeting. announced yesterday that Brother Have you any comment to make on that point, Mrs. Pankhurst?" announced yesterday that Brother Company, two miles down on the sing Pittsburg, will arrive in Chicago "Yes. I have. Let Dr. Parkhurst for the purpose of receiving subscripturn his attention in that line to the men politicians and he will, I bedorsement of Dr. Healey, archbishop simply walked out. Some said

TO-DAY'S GRAIN MARKETS.

Sydney, N.S., Nov. 26—B. F. Pear-on and C. O. Chiltree MacDonald little lower this morning and with with the Dominion Coal company.
They have concluded a transaction involving the transference, under sublease, to the North Atlantic Collieries, Limited, of the Block House areas at long off but the market opened assist, and prices held fairly start. There has been considerable short selling and liquidation of December longs lately, which has caused prices for the market in the Argentine wheat markets opened assist, and prices held fairly start.

peg 1/4 and 3/8 lower.

Winnipeg closing prices are: Futures-November 99%, December 95%, & and thirty-two arrived at cc-May 99%, November oats 34%, Decem- & ean ports, an increase of 78 Rome, Nov. 26.—A violent storm to-day swept over Southern Italy and 1.59%, December 1.53 1-3, May 1.58. 

\* per cent., and 9,269 from the Cash wheat-No. 1 Northern, 99%; \* 102 per cent. as compared with No. 2 Northern, 974; No. 3 Northern, \* the same month of last year. 964; No. 4, 92; No. 5, 874; No. 6, \* The total immigration for sev-

Man., 1.571.

### COAL SITUATION STILL UNCHANGED

Miners of the Standard, Parkdale and Frank Mines are Still Out -Ritchie May Re-Open.

There is little change up to the preent in the coal situation caused by Montreal is the steamer Bona Vista, sent in the coal situation caused by proposed agreement and asking the last of the gulf port boats. The the quitting of work of the miners in the Montreal was the 367th vessel of ocean the Standard, Parkdale, Ritchie and the Standard, Ritchie a proportions to reach Montreal this Frank coal mines. Three of the four operator, "is absolutely impossible to mines are still standing idle and there accept and continue the price of coal morrow, permission granted for Sunday operation.

esume operations as before the "walk Closing Un Mine. In the Parkdale the situation is enfirely different, and this morning the operators, the Harper Coal Company, have begun the dismentling of the Effort to Establish Shagter Houses mine, which will be operated no longer. The timbers are being taken out and the rails torn up, Mr. Harper as-

ses for dogs in Paris, the flesh be sold as food for human con-He will not throw up the contract for supply of coal to the city powerhouse, which he holds together with the Standard, but will secure coal

lsewhere. "There is nothing new in the situa-

At the power house, wheer coal has gotiated with a number of the local coal dealers who are still operating,

and it now appears as if abundant Frank Mine Also Out, The miners of the Frank mine, 14 pportunity soon of contributing to in all, also went out at noon on

ame arms. The Frank mine has a capacity

number of hotels of the city The lessee, Robert Wills, in speak-\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

\* OCTOBER IMMIGRATION SHOWS BIG INCREASE.

Ottawa, Nov. 26-The total immigration into Canada for \* pared with 9,089 in October of United States, an increase of k inclusive, was 138,234, as com-\* pared against 109,563 for the

same month of last year, an increase of 26 per cent.

#### ng to the Bulletin today, says he was told by C. Stubbs, vice-president of District 18 U.M.W. of A., that there would be no trouble, that the object of his visit to the city and conference with the miners was simply to ge

organized and systematized. 'It was apparent, however," he ntinued, "that the miners were well coached, so as to get clear of the Le mieux Act."

On Wednesday last, November 24th, Mr. Wills received a registered letter bearing date of November 22nd, from Mr. Stubbs, enclosing a copy of proposed agreement and asking for

at a saleable price. It may be ap-Last year there were 386 vessels, a difference of 19. In point of tonnage, however, the present season out-distances that of 1908, the aggregates being 1908, 1,387,818 tons; 1909, 1,425,173 tons, a difference of 37,355 tons, which is indicative of the fact that could be aggregated and the sum of the province of the fact that could be aggregated as a saleable price. It may be appears little hope of a settlement. The Ritchie Coal Company are endeavoring to reach an agreement and have made an offer to the men which may be accepted. About ten of the union workable in the south of the province, but is not workable in the south of the province of Alberta. It was also plicable to conditions in the large mines in the south of the province, but is not workable in the south of the province, and the greatest political conflict of mode of Alberta. It was also plicable to conditions in the large mines in the south of the province, but is not workable in the south of the province, and the greatest political conflict of mode of Alberta. It was also plicable to conditions in the large mines in the south of the province, but is not workable in the south of the mines of the Edmonton district, where in the south of the province, but is not workable in the south of the mines of the Edmonton district, where in the south of the province, when in the same that a saleable price. It may be applied to conditions in the large mines in the south of the province, the sale of the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the sale of the sale of the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict of mode and sale on the greatest political conflict

been full recognition of the United Mine Monday the company expect to have thirty or forty men at work and to nutes which the nit case of dis-By Workers of America and concedes the the mine superintendent fail to settle, they shall be referred to the general superintendent or general manager of trict 18 U.M.W. of A. If they fail t agree an arbitration committee onsider the despute and if they fail to agree on a chairman, either party

may give thirty days' notice of suson of operations. While disputes are pending work shall be continued by the parties affected. Any breach in the agreement shall not render it void.

The company shall furnish screen d coal to their workmen at \$2.25 They will also pay wages fort Employees shall have the right make their own doctors' and hospital arrangements. Preference shall be

given to union men out of employnent unless discharged, and safety lamps, where used, shall be furnished ree of charge. present paid at the Frank ne. The rate per car is fixed at 35 cents,

#### 10 cents to 25 cents. BIG SILVER STRIKE.

Kootensy Mine at Ainsworth Has Twenty Foot Lead.

Nelson, B.C., Nov. 27.-The bigges strike in the Kootenay for years has been made at the United Mine in Ainsworth, one of the highland Unitgrade silver lead has been uncovered who is rather hysterical. south, as it was too cold here, and a lew told the manager that they had in the country and was one of the of first shipping mines in the Kootenay. from 30 to 35 tons a day and supplies The development in the past has often been abandoned owing to uncontroll able water. The mine is owned Nelson and New York.

#### FREIGHT WRECK ON C.N.R. Jumped Track This Morning and

Fireman is Missing. Saskatoon, Sask., Nov. 27 .- A Canadian Northern freight train jumped the rails between Hanley Dundurn this morning, twelve box cars piling on to the locomotive which was flung across the track. The crew jumped and was saved, except the fireman, who disappeared and it s to raise the rates on general cargos to feared is under the wreck. The accident will likely interrupt traffic on Lawrence and the Gulf of Mexico. the Prince Albert branch today.

Lightship May be Lost,

Quebec, Nov. 27 .- It is feared at \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* and has not been heard of since.

#### NO HOPE OF AVERTING CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS

Peers and Commons Have Adjourned Till Next Wednesday-Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux Sizes up the Situation in a Nutshell-Rich Must Bear Proportionate Share of Tax-

By Wm. T. Stead. .. ..

London, Nov. 27—Both houses of parliament are "up," but no one copes that when the Lords and Comfour years ago when the club banquetons reassemble on Wednesday next ted the first, cabinet of the newly form-

John Redmond was almost equally McKinnon, president of the Young ated on the passing of the Irish Men's Liberal Club. To the left of the rish land bill was saved.

The Liberals in the Commons are bougall, M.P.P., and Dr. Campbell, M.P.P. peaker in ruling out the lords' amindiments to the development bill to So great was the desire of the Young which Lloyd George was willing to Liberals of Edmonton to do honor to the ssent, but the speaker, who is Con- three new cabinet ministers that when resent, but the speaker, who is con-servative, insisted on asserting the Commons' privilege and Lloyd George only too gladly adopted the ruling, wait until the tables were spread a

The Canadian postmaster general the gathering broke up all satisfied that is in London trying to get a cheaper the usual big success of a Young Liberal The agreement also sets out a schedule of day wage scale and of concada. I asked him how our England and barquet had been atthined.

The trates, the latter of which apply lish crisis looks to the Canadian. Said he: "It seems to me that huhere. The rates are far higher than man nature hardly justifies the except of the usual big success of a Young Liberal barquet had been atthined. The toast list resolved itself into three limportant divisions. There were the leder cabinet ministers who replied to man nature hardly justifies the expectation that seven million electors, nstead of 30 cents; narrow work raisfrom \$1.00 to \$1.50, brushing from

For Dynamiting Husband's Home.

Chatham, Ont., Nov. 27.—The trial of Mrs. Mary Rumble, who dynamited her husbands' home in Harwich some weeks ago, when the inmates had a narrow escape, took place today. The evidence is very

Statement Without Foundation.

Aged Farmer Killed.

thrown while climbing into a buggy and and died from his injuries.

Steamships to Raise Rates.

London, Nov. 27-The steamship

Halle, Prussia, Nov. 27-Herr Knuit Quebec, Nov. 27.—It is feared at Socialist, was elected at the by-election me that in my office." the agency of the Marine Department held yesterday for the member of the "Fire him," was the that the lightship Anticosti has been Reichstag for Halle-Saalgreis, defeating

### YOUNG LIBERALS HONORMINISTERS

Three New Members of Provincial Cabinet Banquetted-A Memorable Occasion.

When the Young Men's Liberal club, of Edmonton, undertakes anything it is greatest political conflict of mod- ed province of Alberta. It was also

d exultation.

"This day," he said, "I have got agriculture, Hon. P. E. Lessard, and my housing bill passed into a law. Hon. W. A. Buchanan were there as guests of the evening. As such they right of the chairman, Jas. A. sat to the right of the chairman, Jas. A. on Wednesday night. The chairman were Premier Rutherford, dalists regarded it as a toss-up Hon. W. H. Cushing and grouped are or not at the last moment the about the table were Geo. P. Smith M. eers would not insist on a wrecking mendment, but the peers are saving dunn, M.P.P., Frank Walker, M.P.P., neir sting for the budget and the W. P. Shaw, M.P.P., L. Boudreau, M. P.P., J. R. Boyle, M.P.P., J. A. Mc

Filled to Overflowing.

So great was the desire of the Young spite the fact that the peers and second time. On account of this, for ministry had passed more important with of course, no one could be said to bills in 1909 than any preceding government passed during five years in office. twice the size, the toast list opened late The Canadian postmaster general and it was well on in the morning when

the toast to "Our Province," ably promostly poor, will ask that the new the Edutonton Liberal Association. There taxes should be taken off a few wealthy landlords and put upon the poor who in reply to the toast to "Our man's shoulders." particularly Hon. W. A. Buchanan, of ethbridge, who was not so well known

Premier Rutherford was given a hearty reception when he rose to speak. inconclusive but a plea of insanity He was glad to see that the Young Libwere going to their homesteads; ed properties. Twenty feet of highothers said they were going to the
grade silver lead has been uncovered who is rather hysterical. ial that had been made. He thought that each and everyone was sound in wind and limb, and had shown themselves London, Nov. 26-The British for splendid Liberal types in time of peace eign office today informed the Ameriand fighters in time of war. The Prem-can news service that the statement ier detailed the work of the various dethat Ambassador Bryce be succeeded partments of government and in connecthat Ambassador by Sir Maurice Detion with education and agriculture said bunsen, now ambassador at Madrid, that it was the intention to make education in the schools of the province contains without foundation. form more along the lines of the chief ccupation of the people. He wanted ro see agriculture taught as far as possible London, Ont., Nov. 26.—Merritt in the public and high schools. He paid willsie, aged 75, of Berwent, was a tribute to Hon. W. T. Finlay, late minister of agriculture, and hoped that Mr. Marshall would continue to carry on the splendid work of the department. Hon. W. H. Cushing showed some of the difficulties which confront him as nes out of Liverpool have decided minister of public works. In Calgary to raise the rates on general cargos to he was told that he was knocking his home city and in Edmonton he was told that he was doing everything for Calgary and nothing for the Capital. "Oh, no, that is not true," cried

"Yes, it is for an Edmonton man told "Fire him," was the reply

Mr. Cushing thought that both cities She left Quebec five days ago, his Radical opponent by a vote of 25,553 merited much in the way of railways and he hoped that with all their achieve-



320 acres without with homestead

ssistance given inators.